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Mr. Weston Adams, III, Esquire
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Dear Mr. Adams:

The Pleading which you filed on behalf of CommPartners, LLC has been duly received and assigned Docket No. 2004-293-C.

In order to proceed with the processing of this Docket, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

Publish, at your own expense, on or before **December 10, 2004**, the enclosed Notice, in newspapers of general circulation, in the affected areas, one time and provide the undersigned Proof of Publication on or before **December 31, 2004**.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates indicated may result in the **DISMISSAL** of your pleading.

In the meantime, should you require additional information, please advise.

Sincerely yours,

Judy Matthews
Administrative Specialist II

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

DOCKET NO. 2004-293-C

CommPartners, LLC has filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide both local and interexchange telecommunications services within the state of South Carolina. Both Alternative Regulation (Docket No. 95-661-C, Order Nos. 65-1734 & 96-55, modified in Docket No. 2000-407-C, Order No. 201-997) for interexchange business services and Flexible Rate Regulation (Docket No. 97-467-C, Order No. 98-165) for local exchange service offerings are requested as part of this application. This filing is made pursuant to South Carolina Statute 58-9-520 and the Rules and Regulations of the Commission. The company will offer local and long distance services associated with basic local exchange, data, local operator, directory assistance, 1+ Dialing, 800/888 and long distance travel cards to both business and residential customers.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210 and is available from Weston Adams, III., Esquire, 1501 Richland Street, Columbia, SC 29201.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at **10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, February 02, 2005**, before the Commission in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws – Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, on or before **December 31, 2004** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No. 2004-293-C.*

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, and Weston Adams, III, Esquire, at the above address in writing, on or before **December 31, 2004**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No. 2004-293-C.*

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing date, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before **December 31, 2004**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2004-293-C.*

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission by dialing (803) 896-5113.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina
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